

Trainee Job Description

Job Title	Inpatient Adult Core Psychiatry Trainee					
Educational Supervisor	Dr Ankur Khanna (South Ward)					
Hospital Address	Irwell Unit, Fairfield General Hospital, Rochdale Old Road, Bury, BL9 7TD					
Trust	Pennine Care NHS Foundation Trust					
Speciality	Adult Psychiatry		Sub Speciality			
Year of Trainee	1	2				

Description of Placement

This is a core Adult Inpatient placement with an established MDT. The CT will be based at the Irwell Unit Adult Inpatient Service, Fairfield General Hospital, Bury, which provides an inpatient service to adults from 18 years of age. The Unit comprises two wards (North & South) which provide inpatient beds based on geographical sectors.

The trainee will be required to assess the inpatients following admission contributing to a full psychiatric history & formulation, and to be able to review inpatients as their admission progresses. We provide training in Adult Psychiatry with an excellent Departmental Teaching programme supplemented by attendance at the Acute Trust 'Grand Round'. In addition the trainee will be trained in Psychiatric History & Mental State examination, use of Psychiatric Rating Scales, use of the Mental Health Act under Supervision & Capacity/Legal issues arising from Inpatient Psychiatry & Liaison with our colleagues in the Acute Trust.

There are opportunities for Community work through our CMHT, Assertive Outreach & Crisis Resolution Home Treatment Teams caring for patients once they leave the ward.

The primary role of the trainee will be to learn about Adult Psychiatry as per the RCPsych core curriculum.

Roles and Responsibilities of the Trainee

To provide Psychiatric & Medical assessment & management of Adult Inpatients under Supervision from their Trainer or out of hours by the Consultant On call. The Trainee will interview patients & gather appropriate collateral information from family members; carers & other sources. This will include Mental State examination & physical examination/investigations where appropriate. Liaison with members of the multidisciplinary team, other health professionals and external agencies such as Substance Misuse Services; Criminal Justice colleagues; voluntary sector carers etc.

The trainee will attend Ward MDT (Report Out) meetings & will present new cases to the wider MDT at Formulation meetings.

They will develop their skills in case & journal presentation.

To complete an audit & present at the end of placement audit meeting.

To manage their time including the handover of patient information, completion of risk assessments and discharge summaries as required by local Trust Policy.

Core Clinical Work include details of where this will be carried out, type of assessments and therapies for which the doctor in training will be responsible (all experience must be appropriate to the level of training provided)

Psychiatric Assessments in A&E / Medical Wards or following a patient's admission to the Inpatient Wards at Bury. Timely documentation in Medical records, risk assessments and formulation of discharge summaries as required.

They will be expected to provide medical input to the day to day functioning of the multidisciplinary team including overseeing the transfer of care from Community Team/Primary care to the inpatient setting.

The scope of the Trainee's role & level of responsibility will vary in accordance with their previous level of experience identified through weekly supervision and WBPA's.

On call cover of Psychiatric Emergencies/ Hope Adolescent Unit & Older Adults Wards.

Intended Learning Objectives Indicate how the post will meet the trainee's curriculum requirements as identified in the portfolio

ILO 1	Be able to perform specialist assessment of patients and document relevant history and examination on culturally diverse patients to include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presenting or main complaint • History of present illness • Past medical and psychiatric history Systemic review <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Family history • Socio-cultural history • Developmental history
ILO 2	Demonstrate the ability to construct formulations of patients' problems that include appropriate differential diagnoses
ILO 3	Demonstrate the ability to recommend relevant investigation and treatment in the context of the clinical management plan. This will include the ability to develop and document an investigation plan including appropriate medical, laboratory, radiological and psychological investigations and then to construct a comprehensive treatment plan addressing biological, psychological and socio-cultural domains
ILO 4	Based on a comprehensive psychiatric assessment, demonstrate the ability to comprehensively assess and document patient's potential for self-harm or harm to others. This would include an assessment of risk, knowledge of involuntary treatment standards and procedures, the ability to intervene effectively to minimise risk and the ability to implement prevention methods against self-harm and harm to others. This will be displayed whenever appropriate, including in emergencies
ILO 5	Based on the full psychiatric assessment, demonstrate the ability to conduct therapeutic interviews; that is to collect and use clinically relevant material.
ILO 6	Demonstrate the ability to concisely, accurately and legibly record appropriate aspects of the clinical assessment and management plan
ILO 7	Develop the ability to carry out specialist assessment and treatment of patients with chronic and severe mental disorders and to demonstrate effective management of these disease states
ILO 8	Use effective communication with patients, relatives and colleagues.
ILO 9	Demonstrate the ability to work effectively with colleagues, including team working
ILO 10	Develop appropriate leadership skills
ILO 11	Demonstrate the knowledge, skills and behaviours to manage time and problems effectively
ILO 12	Develop the ability to conduct and complete audit in clinical practice

On Call

Please state frequency of on-call and nature of duties plus arrangements for clinical supervision

On call during 9-5 pm involves one fixed half day slot with prospective cover free from other commitments. This will be supervised by the Clinical Supervising Consultant as above.

Outside core hours (5pm – 9am & weekends) the Trainee will take part in a 1:9 On call (EWTD compliant) with Consultant On call Supervision.

Academic Activities *These should include case conferences/Journal Clubs/Lectures etc*

Local Academic Teaching Programme on Wednesday afternoon each week which includes Case & Journal presentations; Teaching on Psychiatry; Audit meetings etc
Attendance at Acute Trust Grand Round on Thursday 1-2 pm & Educational events as these arise.

Facilities

Access to IT support & passwords from Pennine Care NHS Trust IT Dept. Admin support including prompt typing of dictation through Clinical Supervisor's Secretary.
There is an excellent library service on site with access to current journals; textbooks & electronic resources.
Provision of Dictaphone & Junior Doctors office/rest area. There is also a well-equipped Junior Doctor On call room for use out of hours.

Supervision Arrangements

A minimum of 1 hour each week Supervision in addition to routine clinical Supervision & Advice on the ward/clinical areas.

There is a multidisciplinary handover with the Access & liaison team at 9am & 1 pm each day with handover to out of hours colleague at 5pm in the Junior Doctor's office.

Out of hours supervision will be provided by the On call Consultant.

Teaching/Academic Experience

Opportunity to complete an audit, present a Journal & Case presentation & contribute to local teaching programme, and attend local Balint group.

Study leave to attend the Core training and GP Training Course

Opportunity to teach colleagues in the acute setting as part of developing liaison programme; and other members of the MDT as part of the New Ways of Working developments.

Participate in Departmental research projects on going locally, and other opportunities as they arise.

Audit/Research Opportunities

The trainee is expected to complete at least one audit during their placement.

There are also a number of Departmental research projects on going locally with eg, Public Health

with the University of Manchester, development of Patient Group Directives, and other opportunities as they arise.

Management Opportunities

Opportunity to attend local management meetings/Risk panels & be involved in training other members of the MDT through our ward staff training programme.

Other/Additional Experience

Training in ECT.
Additional experience in Learning Disabilities can be arranged with Consultant in LD locally.

Description of Special Interest Opportunities

Clinical experience in Adolescent Psychiatry can be offered at the Hope Unit.
Additional time can be arranged with Access & Liaison; Primary Care Mental Health Team; Early Intervention Team; Assertive Outreach Team; Community Mental Health & Review & recovery Teams in the Community.

Trainee timetable

Please ensure trainee and trainer timetable match for supervision arrangements

Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
9-10 Patient Care Team meeting 10:00 – 12:30 CPA Formulation Meetings Interview/Examine Patients	9-10 Patient Care Team meeting 10:00 – 12:30 CPA Formulation Meetings Interview/Examine Patients	9-10 Patient Care Team meeting 10:00 – 12:30 CPA Formulation Meetings Interview/Examine Patients	9-10 Patient Care Team meeting 10:00 – 12:30 CPA Formulation Meetings Interview/Examine Patients	9-10 Patient Care Team meeting 10:00 – 12:30 CPA Formulation Meetings Interview/Examine Patients
1-2pm Supervision Admin	Admin & Ward work	Departmental Educational Meeting including lunch 1-5pm	13:00 – 17:00 Ward Team Training/ Grand Round Acute Trust Or GP Training course	Admin & Ward work